

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 7 October 1956	2. LOCATION Castle AFT, Merced, Calif.	12. CONCLUSI		
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 0720N GMT 08/0720Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian & Military	7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2nd 15 seconds & 1st Instantaneous	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE N/A
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One object not having any discernable features except that the bright light or glare was emitting from the periphery around the sides of the oval shaped object, not from the bottom or top of object. First sighting instantaneous; 2nd sighting 15 seconds.		11. COMMENTS Slight possibility that this was a searchlight. Possible meteor observation; however, lateral movement not reported. Possible astro sighting of Mars through inversion and sight of planet obscured by clouds. Possible a/c. Data too varied and incomplete for analysis. Insufficient data.		

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EXPIRATION DATE: 11 OCT 56

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/DINC 6759. SUBJECT (UNCLASSIFIED) UFOB REPORT.
THE FOLLOWING UFOB REPORT RECEIVED BY THIS HEADQUARTER; FROM
THE 93D BOMBARDMENT WING, CASTLE AIR FORCE BASE, CALIFORNIA
IS QUOTED FOR YOUR INFORMATION: "CONFIDENTIAL/DOI 56-1974-C/
UFOB/IN COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 7, AFR 200-2, DATED 12 AUG

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SINGLE OBJECT. F. NONE. G. N/A. H. NONE. I. THE OBJECT DID NOT SEEM TO HAVE ANY DI CERNIBLE FEATURE EXCEPT THAT THE BRIGHT LIGHT OR GLARE WAS EMITTING FROM THE PERIPHERY AROUND THE SIDES OF THE OVAL SHAPED OBJECT, NO. FROM THE BOTTOM OR TOP OF THE OBJECT. 2. A. LIGHT IN THE SKY. B. 11,000 FEET HEADING 272 DEGREES. C. DI APPEARED VERTICALLY AT 11,000 FEET. D. OBJECT RANDOMLY DIPPED VERTICALLY WHILE MOVING HORIZONTALLY AT 272 DEGREES. E. DISAPPEARED INTO CLOUDS. F. FIRST SIGHTING INSTANTANEOUS, SECOND SIGHTING MOMENT LATER LASTED APPROXIMATELY 15 SECONDS. 3. A. GROUND-VISUAL AND VISUAL AIR-TO-AIR. B. N/A. C. 2 F-86D'S, 623 AND 551, 11,000 FEET, 332 DEGREES, 300 TO 500 ANTS, CASTLE AFB. 4. A. 28/172. B. NIGHT. 5. WITHIN A 20 MILE RADIUS OF MERCED, CALIFORNIA. 6. A. CIVILIANS UNKNOWN. B. ROBINETT, JERRY O, 1ST LT, 456TH F.I.S., FT, A-1 AND CORREA, DONATO, JR. 1ST LT 456TH F.I.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, A-1. 7. A. SCATTERED CLOUDS BELOW 11,000 FEET, VISIBILITY 7 MILES, OVERCAST FROM 11,000 TO 21,000 FEET. B. 6 K NNW AT SURFACE. 16 K 310 DEGREE AT 6,000 FEET. 27 K 310 DEGREE AT 15,000 FEET. 25 K 310 DEGREE AT 22,000 FEET. 35 K 300 DEGREE AT 30,000 FEET. 25 K 310 DEGREE AT 52,000 FEET. C. 18,000 FEET. D. 7 MILES. E. 12/10. F.

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1A 8. NEGATIVE. 9. N/A. 10. NEGATIVE. 11. STAFF INTELLIGENCE OFFICER INVESTIGATION REVEALED NO KNOWN SEARCH LIGHTS OPERATING IN THE AREA AT THIS TIME. A LIGHT POSSIBLY STILL EXISTS THAT SEARCH LIGHTS COULD BE CAUSE. 12. NEGATIVE."

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JOINT MESSAGEFORM

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
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SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER

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ACTION ROUTINE

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INFO ROUTINE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

FROM:

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TO:

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OFFUTT AIR FORCE BASE
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/UNCLASSIFIED/ REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE DING 6759 SUBJECT UFO REPORT FROM 93D DOME WING CASTLE AF BASE, CALIFORNIA. NO INDICATION THAT REPORT SENT TO COMMANDER, ADC, COLORADO SPRINGS, AND D/I, HEADQUARTERS USAF IN SPECIFIC COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 7a(1)(a) AND 7a(1)(d) OF AFR 200-2. ADC RESPONSIBLE FOR INVESTIGATION PHASE OF UFO SIGHTINGS PER PARAGRAPH 4b AND 6 SUBJECT REGULATION.

DISREGARD MESSAGE IF REPORT BROUGHT TO ATTENTION OF ABORE-ENTINED COMMANDS.

COORDINATION:

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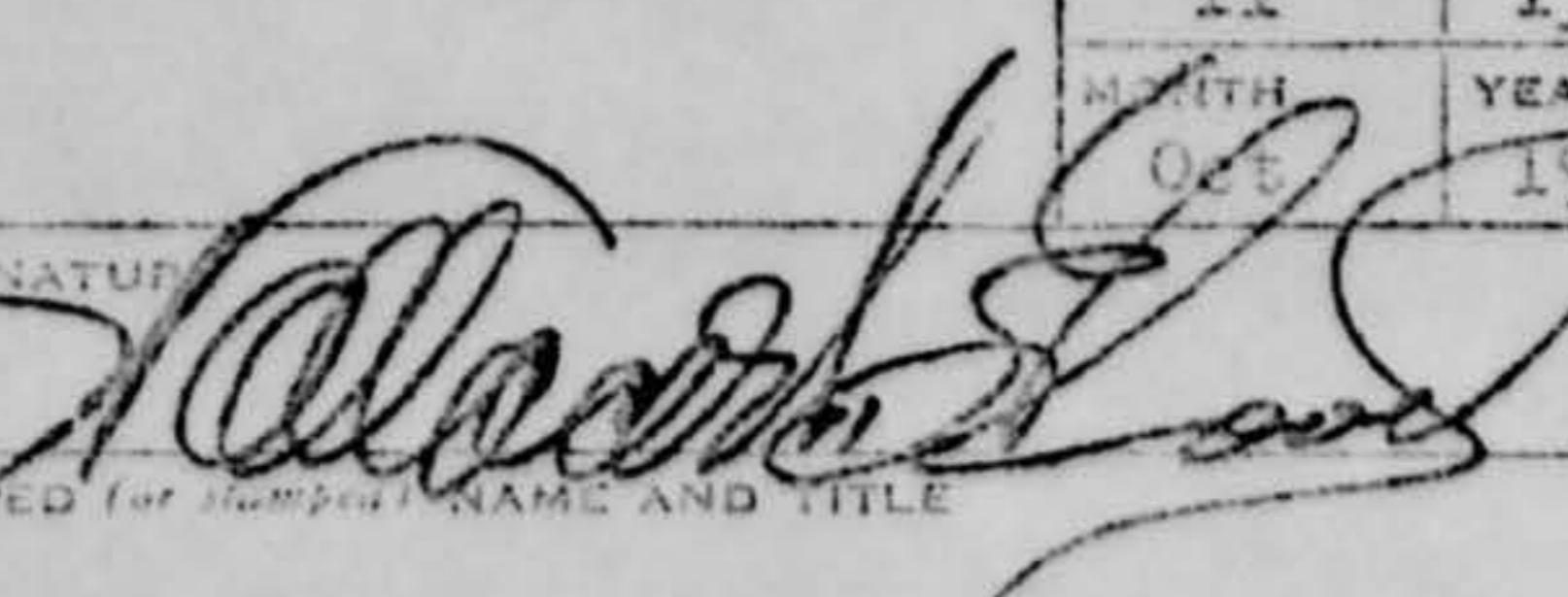
Dr. H.A. Miley

AFMEN-4E DATE _____

Col H.K. Gilbert

DATE	TIME
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W R I T ER	SYMBOL AFMEN-4E4	DATE 18 OCT 1956
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Assistant Adjutant	
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